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SMALL ENTITY STATUS NOTICE

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

The Notice of Allowance dated 05/21/2003 in the above-identified patent application incorrectly identifies the application as a large entity. When the application was originally filed, the transmittal letter claimed small entity status as did the return receipt postcard accompanying the filing papers. Additionally, small entity status is indicated in the request for extension of time dated 03/28/2003, and on the filing receipt issued by the Patent Office on 08/15/2001.

No changes were made to the small entity status of the ownership of this application from the date it was originally filed. Accordingly, the issue fee provided herewith is paid at the small entity level, and again, **applicants claim small entity status** (See 37 C.F.R. § 1.27).

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